

POULTRY HOARDING REPORTED BY CLUB

Philomusians' Civic Committee
Says Amount in Storage Is
Increased

PRICE RANGE STILL HIGH

The quantity of poultry in storage houses in 1920 is more than 400,000 pounds greater than that of last year, and is being withheld from the market, according to the second weekly bulletin of the civic committee of the Philomusian Club.

The total in storage December 15, last year, was 1,811,328 pounds, and on the same date this year the total was 2,235,412 pounds. Poultry prices still range high.

Housewives also are urged to buy freely of cabbage and potatoes to move the large quantities on hand. "A Pennsylvania farmer finding no home market," states the bulletin, "shipped his cabbage to Baltimore. Freight and demurrage charges amounted to \$9 on one carload, and \$16 on the second carload, leaving him in debt for his produce. The best potatoes are selling for \$1.50 a bushel and housewives are urged to lay in a winter supply before heavy frost. Potato production in 1920 exceeded that of 1919 by 73,000,000 bushels."

Prices on Poultry
Further findings of the committee this week, as set forth in the bulletin, are:
Turkeys—Nearby, fresh-killed, best fancy stock, wholesale from fifty-five to sixty cents a pound; western,

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wholesale from fifty to fifty-four cents a pound.
Chickens—Plentiful; selling wholesale from twenty-eight to thirty-six cents a pound.
Ducks—From thirty-five to forty cents a pound, wholesale.
Geese—From thirty cents to thirty-five cents a pound, wholesale.
Cranberries—Scarce and high, wholesaling from ten to sixteen cents a quart.
Lettuces—Very plentiful. Twelve cars unloaded in the city yesterday. Wholesale price slightly lower than a week ago.
Cauliflower—Plentiful and cheap.

Celery Is Plentiful
Celery—Very plentiful. Sixteen carloads reached Philadelphia yesterday morning. California celery sells wholesale at seventy-five cents the dozen stalks, scarcely paying freight charges. Nearby celery sells wholesale from six to eight cents a bunch of four stalks.
Oranges—Very plentiful. Coming in large quantities from Florida. Selling wholesale at about \$2 a box—300 oranges to a box. These oranges retail at twenty to twenty-five cents a dozen—a net profit of more than 200 per cent.

In its work of bringing the producer and consumer into closer co-operation, the Philomusian Club has the assistance of Dr. Clyde L. King, of the University of Pennsylvania, and of the Tri-State Milk Commission.

Estate Inventories Filed
Inventories were filed today in the following estates: Emma M. Blackburne, \$70,782.01; Mary S. Frazier, \$61,998.02; Pauline Schirmer, \$81,163.50; Edward Habermehl, \$69,727.72; Catherine T. Chase, \$720,132.40; Anne Cleetham, \$36,238.00; Alice Lawless, \$53,213.94. Register of Wills Sheehan granted letters of administration into the \$5440 estate of Margaret J. Patterson, of 700 North Twenty-fourth street.

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FINNY TALK SOUNDS FISHY TO DENIZENS OF AQUARIUM

But Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, Inventor of Telephone, Says
Creatures That Live in Water Communicate
With One Another

The old line about "Don't Fish Here" has been superseded by the new one, "Don't Fish Talk!" Dr. Alexander Graham Bell tells the National Geographic Society they do. He ought to know about talking. He's responsible for a lot of it. He invented the telephone.

There was no great flow of conversation at the aquarium this morning. No light conversation of any sort. The only sound was of running water in the liquid enclosure.

"Talk, of course, is used in the sense of communication," explains Dr. Bell. "Maybe the fish were communicating after all. They must do something to pass the time away. The aquarium is in a perpetual Sunday afternoon state. Nervous prostration is virtually unknown among fish. They have no excitement, no worries. They are never in hot water except when they are cooked. In fact, fish have everything to give them the loveliest dispositions in the world. And yet, every now and then, some one talks about the poor fish."

"Did you ever put your head under 'Did you ever put your head under to see what the sound is like?' Dr.

Bell writes. "I did it once and it sounded as though a man were hammering at my very ear."

"I then took two tiny pebbles and tapped them together quite lightly under water and it sounded like a man knocking at the door."

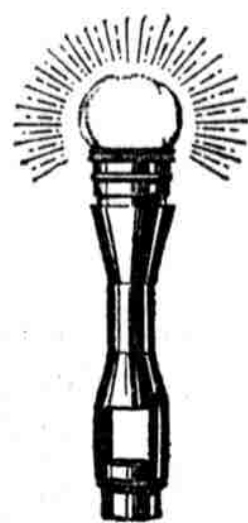
Reflecting upon various experiments, the thought occurred: If two little stones tapped together can be heard under water, why, every tiny lobster that snaps its claws must make an audible click. I wonder if there are creatures in the water that signal to each other by sound?

"Well, I had occasion to try it once."

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Bathing in the Grand river, in Ontario, I put my head very gently under water and listened, and sure enough, "tick, tick, tick," came a sound like a grasshopper's chirrup and a little while after that a chirrup on the other side. There were creatures under the water that were calling to each other.

"I don't know whether all fish make sounds or not, but some of them certainly do. It is also a significant fact that all fish have ears. Why should they have ears if there is nothing for them to hear?"

"Of this we may be certain, there is a great world of sound beneath the waves waiting to be explored."

Health Play Given by Children
Dancing health fairies and hopping little gnomes of ill health took part in "The Town of Promise," a health play last night at the Webster School.

Suspect Arrested After Hold-Up
John Sweeney, forty-seven years old, Lafayette and Cresson streets, was held up by two men under a bridge along the Norristown branch of the Reading

Railway, in Falls of Schuylkill, last night, and robbed of \$25. Joseph Sullivan, 3065 Stanton street, was arrested as one of the robbers after several shots had been fired at him by patrolmen.



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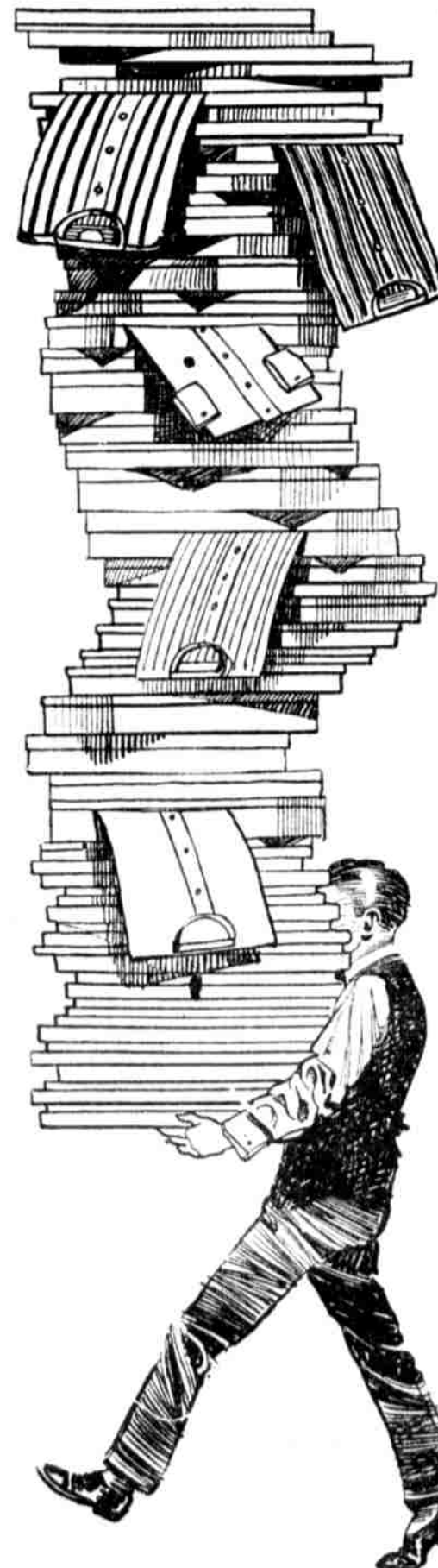
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